GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6382
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TRANSCRIPTS OF INTERROGATIONS OF AL KHAIDA PRISONERS
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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether India has requested the U.S. Government to provide transcripts of interrogations of Al Khaida prisoners in U.S. custody; and

(b) if so, the U.S. response thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH)

(a) & (b) Government has sought from the United States all information and evidence in its possession, which relate to terrorism in India. During the fourth meeting of the India-U.S. Joint Working Group on Counter-terrorism, held in Delhi on 21-22 January 2002, the U.S. side agreed to share with India information and evidence that it has gathered from Afghanistan relating to terrorism.